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Subject: NO DAT CONFERENCE CALL MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29,1999

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There is no DAT Conference call scheduled for today, Monday, November 29.

About 50 Chinook were caught in the three Tisdale Weir rotary screw traps last Wednesday, and 4 were caught at Knights Landing. These fish were an indicator from the Spring Run Protection Plan that yearling Chinook were entering the Delta. The action associated with this is closure of the Delta Cross Channel Gates. They were close Friday, November 26.

Three Chinook were salvaged at the SWP Saturday, 11/27. One was adipose fin clipped, and is likely from the Coleman late-fall release 11/12/99.

Since Wednesday, 9 Chinook were caught at the Tisdale Weir traps and one was adipose fin clipped. None were caught at Knights Landing or in the Delta. No Chinook were captured in the Sutter Bypass rotary screw trap at the lower end of the Bypass.

Considering this additional information indicating little Chinook movement within the Delta, there will be no special DAT Conference Call today, 11/29, to discuss the b(2) export reduction and smolt survival experiment. The b(2) export reduction will be discussed at the regularly scheduled b(2) Implementation Team meeting Tuesday, 11/30 at 8am.

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